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Inventor: Robert D. Black

Serial No.: 10/005,889

Filed: November 7, 2001

For: CIRCUITS FOR IN VIVO DETECTION OF BIOMOLECULE
CONCENTRATIONS USING FLUORESCENT TAGS

Group: 1641

Examiner: Gary W. Counts

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
(37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of () month(s) to respond to the Notice of Appeal filed June 30, 2006.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

- is filed herewith.
 has been filed.

3. Applicant:

- Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
 Does not claim small entity status.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d)):

Total Months <u>Requested</u>	Fee For Other <u>Than Small Entity</u>	Fee for <u>Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$120.00	\$60.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> two months	\$450.00	\$225.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00

Fee Due \$450

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- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) is enclosed.
- Charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 in the amount of \$450 and for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

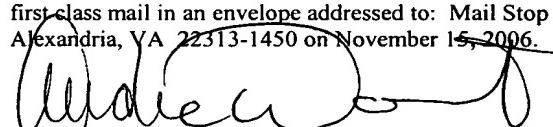


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